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Dear Mrs. Hadden:

I sincerely regret that I will have to postpone, for the moment, my plans to participate in the Palm Beach Round Table. With all the problems involved in connection with the change of administration, and the requirement for me to be constantly here in Washington over the next few months, I have decided to restrict my outside speaking engagements.

While I hope to get to the Round Table sometime later on at your convenience, there does not seem to be any possibility of my joining you in the immediate future.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

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Allen W. Dulles
Director

cc: Mr. Hugh Bullock

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The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E Street, N. W.
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Now that we are so near the first of the year I write to say that we shall appreciate very much having you choose the date: March 20th or March 27th, 1961, as soon as possible for you, to speak at our Palm Beach Round Table.

If for some reason these dates are impossible, let me know when you could come, - preferably on a Wednesday or Thursday in February.

We really prefer the March dates and wish to have a speaker for one of these that you do not choose.

We shall appreciate knowing your subject and having two photographs and three newspaper mats, if that is not asking too much.

With the Season's Greetings, and hoping surely that we may welcome you in Palm Beach,

Sincerely yours,

Maudie M. Hadden

Mrs. Alexander M. Hadden

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13 OCT 1960

Mrs. Alexander M. Hadden
Institute of World Affairs, Inc.
527 Madison Avenue, Room 314
New York 22, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Hadden:

Thank you very much for your letter of 3 October inviting me to address the Palm Beach Round Table on 27 February, 20 March or 27 March 1961.

As I told Mr. Bullock, it is a little early for me to make a definite commitment for either February or March and I cannot give a firm answer until after the first of the year. I realize, of course, that you must proceed to make your schedule well in advance and, if this is not satisfactory, please let me know.

Your courtesy in asking me to speak at your Round Table is indeed appreciated and I might say that I remember quite well the occasion in Paris when I spoke to your Institute graduates.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
2430 E Street, NW
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Mr. Hugh Bullock has written to you about our wish to have you address the Palm Beach Round Table in Palm Beach, Florida. A number of years ago I had the privilege of hearing you speak in Paris when we were having a conference of our Institute graduates there.

We hope very much that you will be able to address the Round Table, February 27, March 20, or March 27, 1961. We always have meetings on Monday afternoon at four o'clock at the Everglades Club, during three months when our six hundred members are present.

Over 1400 Institute graduates of 81 nations are now interpreting to their home lands the ideals of the Institute and working for better world understanding and ultimate Peace. They tell us that through the Institute they experience a real spirit of brotherhood. This year we have had 40 university students from 20 countries considering "The Search for Peace in a World of Tension", also "Problems of Less Developed Countries".

Will you please tell us under what conditions you would come to the Round Table and what your topic will be.

The proceeds of the Round Table are used for scholarships for outstanding students of political science from many nations.

With the earnest hope that you may find it possible to speak at the Round Table,

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Alexander M. Hadden

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The Honorable Allen W. Dulles,
Director Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E. Street, N.W.
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Thank you for your letter telling us that you cannot decide definitely till later as to whether or not you can speak at our Palm Beach Round Table. As February 27th has been taken I hope you will come March 20th or 27th. We are glad to await your decision until after the first of the year. We shall appreciate knowing the subject of your talk.

Thanking you for your kindness in being willing to address the Round Table,

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Alexander M. Hadden

Mrs. Alexander M. Hadden

ER 60-7822/6

13 OCT 1960

Mr. Hugh Bullock
One Wall Street
New York, N. Y.

Dear Hugh:

Many thanks for your thoughtful letter of 28 September concerning the invitation from Mrs. Alexander Hadden for me to address the Palm Beach Round Table.

As I told Mrs. Hadden, it is a little early for me to make a definite commitment for either February or March and I cannot give her a firm answer until after the first of the year. I realize, of course, that she must proceed to make her schedule well in advance and, if this is not satisfactory, I have asked her to let me know.

It was good to hear from you again and I appreciate your interest in having me speak before the Round Table.

With every best wish,

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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The Honorable Allen W. Dulles,
2430 E Street, NW,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Allen:

You will shortly receive from Mrs. Alexander Hadden, President of the famous Palm Beach Round Table, an invitation to speak in Palm Beach sometime after the first of the year. Her audience are the thoughtful and prominent people of that community and the experience is a most pleasurable one.

The Round Table is connected with the Institute of World Affairs, Inc., Twin Lakes, Salisbury, Connecticut, an institution that speaks for itself because of the constructive things that it has done. When you receive her invitation I hope you will give it more than normal consideration, and she and I will be hopeful you can accept.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very sincerely,

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles:

Attached are the comments of Stan
Grogan.

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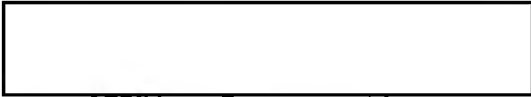
1. The Institute of World Affairs, Inc., as you will note from their list of Directors and members of their International Council, has outstanding people around the world interested in the movement. They have also some very wealthy individuals on the list, such as Mrs. Herbert A. May, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, and Mrs. Thomas J. Watson, H. E. James D. Zellerbach, and some who have political importance, like Sir Norman Angell, Hon. Philip Noel Baker, and Dr. Salvador de Madariaga.
2. Apparently the Round Table raises funds used for scholarships for students in Political Science of many nations. You will note that Mrs. Hadden states they have had "over 1400 Institute graduates of 81 nations (who) are now interpreting to their home lands the ideals of the Institute and working for better world understanding and ultimate Peace." This is indeed a worthy thing but does have strong political implications.
3. Hugh Bullock, who wrote the Director, and Mrs. Hadden are both very honorable people and the Institute of World Affairs certainly has a long and honorable history dating from its beginnings in 1924 in Geneva, Switzerland, as the "Students International Union," for the exchange of foreign students. The Institute was moved to the U.S. after World War II and has conducted seminars at Twin Lakes, Salisbury, Conn., and at Palm Beach, Florida. Mrs. Alexander Hadden, now 80 years old, and her late husband have been leaders of the Institute since its beginning. You will note in her letter that she states Allen Dulles was a speaker at one of their conferences of Institute graduates held in Paris a number of years ago.
4. Robert Murphy, when Under Secretary of State, spoke in October 1959 at the Institute's 35th anniversary dinner in New York City on the subject of Sino-Soviet frictions.
5. Arthur M. Smithies, professor of economics, Harvard University, has directed the Twin Lakes, Conn. summer session in recent years, including the 1959 session on "The Search for Peace in a World of Tension."
6. The NEW YORK TIMES in an editorial in October 1959 praised the Institute for its work over many years in assisting in "the education of promising students from all over the world" by means of "a fruitful combination of close contact with leading statesmen and scholars, through lectures and discussions at seminars on world affairs and the intimate exchange of views among the students themselves. The TIMES also praised the Institute for its distinguished board of directors, international council, and committee of interested business men.

7. The Institute is now conducting a campaign to raise \$500,000 for scholarships and fellowships and Mr. Dulles' talk, if given, would be in furtherance of that goal.

8. In October 1959 the NEW YORK TIMES reported that 41 students came from 21 countries to the Institute. It is not known if any students came from Sino-Soviet Bloc countries nor is there any indication of how students are selected. The Institute is financed by contributions, theatre benefits, and proceeds from the Palm Beach Round Table.

9. Mrs. Hadden is a poet, a writer, a member of the Women's National Republican Club, and for years has been interested and involved in numerous organizations devoted to the study of international affairs. She graduated from Smith in 1901, received her M.A. from Columbia in 1906, and her Ph.D. from Columbia in 1917.

10. Recommendation: That a letter be sent to Mr. Bullock, thanking him for his kind letter to Mr. Dulles and assuring him that Mr. Dulles is interested but cannot commit himself for a February 27, March 20, or March 27, 1961 meeting at this time, but that he will, if agreeable, early in the new year make his decision. A letter on somewhat this same line should be sent by the Director to Mrs. Hadden.


Stanley J. Grogan
Assistant to the Director

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13 February 1961

C. P. Hawkins, M. D.
President
Tarrant County Medical Society
3855 Tulsa Way
Fort Worth 7, Texas

Dear Dr. Hawkins:

I am pleased to know that General Cabell's address before the Tarrant County Medical Society is continuing to attract interest among doctors in Texas.

May I suggest that you refer requests such as the one from Amarillo directly to me. I shall be happy to respond with a moderate number, keeping in mind that reproduction by private facilities will do something toward keeping down your tax bill and mine.

Sincerely,

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